COMMERCIAL.

Monetary. Money is without change. The Banks an discounting fully up to their line, and there is a less pressing demand. In stocks there is nothing doing, and very little capital seeking investment. There were some sales of Corporation bonds in Washington, at auction, in the early part of the week at 75c. Exchange on the Eastern cities is scarce, and we quote on New York at 51@54; obstadabilia 516054 and Baltimore 56054

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Do Mixed	0	55	(a)		58
Do Yellow	0	56	(0)		50
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LARD, in Kegs. WHITE BEANS 1 00 @ BLACK-EYED PEAS. 1 00 @ HAY \$\overline{P}\$ 100 lbs 0 56 @ 0 60 Whiskey 0 24 0 30 (a) 60 00 Guano, Peruvian30 00 @ 00 00 Do Sombrero28 00 (a) 00 00 Mexican white..... .28 00 (0 00 00 .25 00 (6) 00 00 Mexican A. A..... .20 00 (a: 00 00 Mexican A..... Do African... Do Fowle & Co.'s Soluble40 60 (a 00 00 Elide ... Do Jarvis Island. 10 00 @ 80 00 Do Manipulated......15 00 @ 50 00 Do Reeses' Manipulated ... 50 00 (a 00 00

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.....30 00 (a 40 00 Bone Dust ... REMARKS .- The market for the week past has not been quite so active as the week preceding .-The stock of Flour in store is fair. The receipts of Flour and Grain for the past week, ending today, have been heavy. The demand for Flour is fair, with sales of Union street Superfine at \$5.125 (@\$5.18; Extra \$5.62\(@\$5.87\), and Family at \$6.-50@\$7.50; some fancy brands sold at \$8. Business Change to-day was quite active. There were sales of Wheat at 123, 125, and 138c, for fair to good; and 140 @ 147c, for prime quality white, and red at 115, and 123c, for fair to prime quality. have been very good for the past week; we note sales on 'Change this morning at 58@60c. for 63 (a 65c. for good quality, the receipts are fair .--The offerings of Oats are light. The demand is fair. We note sales to day on 'Change at 22@ 23c. The Leather Market is dull, and prices are drooping. Seeds are not so active as last quoted, but prices remain unchanged. Plaster is in ac tive enquiry, prices are firm. Fertilizers are active; we give a list of quotations above. Business on the Canai has not fairly commenced .-Freights are steady. We quote rates on Boston at \$2.05, and New York at \$1.60. There is no demand for other ports. There has been very little business doing in the Grocery line during the past week. The stock of Groceries on hand are fully

Naw York Market.

equal to the trade-prices are steady.

NEW YORK, March 22 .- Flour is heavy; sales of 6,000 bbls.: State \$5.05 (a \$5.10; Ohio \$5.50 @\$5.60; Southern \$5.35 (@\$5.70. Wheat is heavy; sales of 10,000 bush.; Milwaukie club 125c. Corn is heavy; sales of 10,000 bushels mixed at 60c.; yellow Western 631 @64c. Whiskey closed firm at 74c. Stocks are steady. Va. 6's 78fc.;

The better opening of the New York stock market on Wednesday was on account of what was deemed the more pacific news from the South, but with a free supply of cash stock prices gradually gave way somewhat. The bond list, however, holds firm, with a satisfactory business.

Telegrams from St. Louis say that the "Bank bill" passed a week ago, by the Missouri Legislature, was on the 20th signed by Governor Jackson. This bill makes some important changes in the Banking law of the State, and legalizes the suspension of the Missouri banks.

CANAL SHIPMENTS .- During the week ending shadowed. Hoping the rupture may be Tuesday, March 19th, 95 boats left Cumberland, earrying 10,764.02 tons coal.

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PORT OF ALEXANDRIA -- MARCH 22.

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The same CANAL COMMERCE.

ARRIVED, March 22. Boats Molly, E. W. Dunham, and John F. Ster-

ling, coal to T. J. Mehaffey. Boats Amelia Snyder, Samuel Strider, Ida Lee, and John Hill, coal to American Coal Co. Boats Helen May, Mrs. E. Briggs, and E. J. Baker, coal to Borden Mining Co. Boat M. J. Woods, coal to Frostburg Coal Co.

MOUNT VERNON GUARDS, ATTEN-TION !!-- You are hereby notified to meet at your Armory, in full Dress Uniform, on MONDAY morning, at 9 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of receiving the flag to be presented to the Corps by the Ludies of Alexandria. The punctual attendance of every member is requested. By order of the Company. J. T. DEVAUGHN, O. S. Each member will, also, bring his Overcoat with

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MERCER POTATOES .- 200 bushels White Mercer Potatoes, for sale by J. N. HARPER & CO. Sale by [mh 5] WHEAT & BRO. | mh 19

THIRTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS. REPORTED FOR THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.

In Senate, Friday, March 22. On motion of Mr. Hale, the Senate took up the resolution introduced some time since,

Mr. Bright moved the postponement of the resolution till the first Monday in December; on which motion the year were 12, The question then recurred on the adop-

tion of the resolution; and the main question being put, it was adopted. Mr. Hale introduced a resolution, that the Senate go into the election for Surgeant-at-

Arms, Doorkeeper and Assistant Doorkeeper to-morrow at 1 o'clock. ing the payment of additional compensation

to certain clerks in the employ of the Senate. Mr. Trumbull opposed its consideration .-The republican party had come into power with a determination to retrench the expenses of Government; but if they proceeded in that way they would very soon increase

After a brief discussion by Messrs, Clingman and Powell, the resolution was taken up and put upon its passage, resulting-yeas 12, navs 25.

The Senate then took up the Douglas resolution.

Mr. Bayard resumed his remarks, suspended yesterday, and warned the Senate against the danger growing out of an attempt to subjugate the people of the Southern Republic to the dominion of the Federal government. Once engender the military spirit, and it might not be long before a military chieftain would ascend to power over the liberties of the people. It would be impossible to conquer the Confederate States .-They were already stronger than were the colonies in the war of Independence, and were impregnable to invasion. He conclud- which being translated means Bone Key or subject was passed by, and the Coavention apiece; that sometime since, Mr. Bailey don; G. O. Putnam Consul to Havre, and were impregnable to invasion. He conclud-which being translated means Bone Key or subject was passed by, and the Convention appear. Subject was passed by, and the Convention appear which being translated means Bone Key or subject was passed by, and the Convention appear. He whole, brought another lot of one hundred of the brought another lot of one hundred of the lamburg.

Mr. Holeowho being entitled to the floor, rejected hatchets, which he (Bartholow) Among the nominations are those of Wilpendence of the confederate states.

'Mr. Howe, of Wis., advocated the policy of the enforcement of the laws and opposed any amendment of the constitution. He did not believe a minority should force upon a majority, an amendment to the constitution. He commented with some severity upon the positions taken by Mr. Dauglas, and hoped that when the historian wrote the history of this revolution, his page would be spared the recital of torvism in the United States Senate. Without concluding his remarks, Mr. Howe, at 3.10, yielded, and the Senate went

into executive session. COMMUNICATIONS.

In the midst of our "bloodless Revolution." the one desire of the truly good and brace of our unhappy country should be, that "bloodless may it end." How easy may this be effected, if the calm judgment and reason of the masses of the people have free course to combat with error of opinion. The best thing Gen. Lane ever said, was, "he that sheds the first blood pending this strife, will be the greatest murderer that increased to sixteen hundred dollars. The transactions in Corn were fair, the receipts ever lived." Brave old man! I would that every son and daughter of America could white: 57c, for mixed, and yellow at 56c. In Rye read it. It should be embodied in his epithere has been active sales during the week at taph. Had Washington loved war rather than peace, how easy could be have led his country, as one man, to a foreign war at the call of France? "Men who have whetted their daggers against their stony hearts, to cumstances. If any thing unusual "turns wound their country's peace," may thirst for war, inhuman or unnatural however it may be; but God grant they may die of their own dogish thirst rather! Upon occasions like the present, it is common to find in the theory many brave hearts who prove mighty cowards in the practice. The truly braze love peace. Reason and common sense can settle our difficulties. It must do it, war or no war, in the end-if ever settled at all. Dissolution is evil enough without war; and that necessity I think, will be forced upon us. Self-preservation is a passion more prevalent than any form of love on earth, and hence it is certainly superior to political obligations. Then, being determined to strike for our rights, it is our blessed privilege to get them "peaceably, if we can," even if i takes a longer time than we like, as we can place no limit to war once begun. Sometimes, "the furthest way round is the nearest way home," and often the safest. S great has been the preparation for war in the South, that great firmness and moderation, and rigid discipline may and will be

> ment," which will be "the needful," if we form a Southern Union, now so closely forebloodless, and that we may have fifteen stars to begin with, I now end on war. I beg pardon of "Cedar of the South," (am his friend.) but candor calls for a word in answer, when he asks, "What will be the state of Religion in our Union upon a dissolution ?" He points to evil continually; but I cannot see it. History denies that any evil would come, and the history of several Churches and Denominations, in this country, proves that there need be no danger from that source. Let this suffice now. Our

requisite to prevent it. Let us consider,

that preparation may prove the preventive,

so much "better than core." And in that

case, we shall have a good "peace establish

motto is *Peace*, if "possible," as Gov. Wise says, "by October." R. Rappahannock County, Va. I notice that a meeting has been held in Rappahannock County, and delegates up pointed to meet in Convention on the third Monday in April, to nominate a candidate of the Union party for the Seventh Congressional District, and that attention has been called to the subject in yesterday's Gazette I would, therefore, propose that a meeting of the Union party of this county be held on Monday, the 1st of April, to appoint delegates to a Convention to nominate a candidate to represent us in the next Congress. and would respectfully suggest that Alexan dria be selected as the place for holding said UNION. Convention.

On the 21st inst., ROBERT H . son of Jabez and onisa Wheeler, in the 20th year of his age .-

Zer His funeral will take place this (Saturday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from Wesley Chapel, corner of F and 5th streets. Washington City. At his residence, near Amissville, Rappohanneck County, Va., on the 11th Instant, ROBERT CUNDIFF LATHAM, in the 38th year of his

In Washington, March 21st, JOHN H. THORN, in the 38th year of his age. On the - inst., at Shakopee, Minnesota, Col. JOHN M. HOLLAND, a native of Annapolis.

Md., and for eight years past a resident of Min-

nesota. In Washington City, on Saturday night, the 16th inst., of consumption, Mr. JOHN T. MOSS, formerly of Fairfax county, in the 31st year of his age. Generous, kind hearted, and honorable in all his transactions, the deceased was enabled VESSEL WANTED for Philadelphia. to count a friend in every acquaintance. He was a young man of fine promise and remarkable social qualities, and would have become a very useful citizen in any community, had not fell disease

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J. E. DOUGLASS.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, March 22.-The Senator from Delaware brought his speech in the Senate to a close to-day. The new Senator ceeds Hon. Chas. Durkee, who was much esteemed for his christian kindness of heart, and benevolent action. The friends of the timents. The speech to-day was hardly up smacked of the ultra stamp. He reasons the Confederate States.

vesterday, was that of Charles Hare for the federated States. Those of your readers who to the Committee on the Whole. are fond of vocal music, and have good voices throught Mr. Hare. I fancy the collector territorial government " will find it difficult to discharge the duties will take delight in hunting the Hure with the resolution to postpone the consideration all the energy of his character. Key West of the question. from the harbor of Hayana, Island of Cuba. He would offer this as a compromise. The original Spanish name was Cavo Hueso. so named by the Spaniards because of the alleged fact that when first discovered it was about the right to collect duties there; that bleaching under the burning rays of a tropi-

From the best information I can obtain, the nominations sent to the Senate to-day were for Territorial offices, post offices, &c There was no nomination for Judge of the State? Supreme Court, or for any Diplomatic post of magnitude.

There were a good many removals of clerks in the different departments to-day. The guillotine it would appear is in full oneration. Eight of the decapitated ones were connected with the Census Bureau. Messrs. Yulee, Garnett, and Whitaker, Examiners in

the Patent Office, are among the victims. Elijah M. Merchant, of Fauquier county, a., Clerk in the Sixth Auditors Office, among the slain, and Gen. S. M. Edwards. formerly of Leesburg, Va., has had his salary помо.

Letter from Richmond RICHMOND, March 21 .- It is thought that | ernment is concerned. the Legislature may adjourn about the first of next month-but that depends upon cirup," it will, of course, hold on. In the mean time a great number of bills remain to be acted upon-and there will have to be a rush to get through with the business on the Clerk's table. It was not expected by some, when the Legislature assembled, that tend to the James River and Kanawha Ca. the imputation. nal, and drop in a word as to Federal Relations and kindred topies. But the knowing ones knew better, and we have had a regular, old fashioned session on general busi-

I have attended frequently the State Convention, and heard some good speeches, and some intolerably prosy ones, which might as well have been left unsaid. The "outside pressure," just now, to drive the Union | force. men into precipitate Secession is having its effect upon some-but not, I believe, upon enough to induce Disunion action on the place bereafter. He referred only to those made of Virginia cloth trimmed with crimpart of a majority.

The course and conduct of the more violent Secessionists in this city have given just glorious record, but it has been reserved to We understand that about fifty of the Arenuse of offence. But, these furious genmasters of every body who does not think great Republic. He then proceeded with ting up military apparel, and has during tlemen will find that they are not lords and as they do. No means are left unused to his speech, but soon after yielded the floor the past winter completely uniformed severstir up agitation and force Virginia out .--This is admitted, in deed, if not in word, by Mr. Randolph, but withdrawn at the re- several from a distance. Many of these people are only acting so as | quest of to create division in the State.

vention, and the proposal of demands to be ries of resolutions. acted upon by the Northern States-or something like that plan-and wait a rea-VIRGINIUS. sion. Yours, truly,

TIRGINIA CASSIMERES, -We have inopened a fine assortment of VIRGINIA CASSIMERES, purchased at the late auction sales in Richmond. These goods, both in style and quality, do honor to the State, and show that the Oid Dominion is not dependent upon ontsiders for Gentlemen's wear. We shall be bappy to show them to our friends.

We are in receipt of LADIES' DRESS GOODS Prints, Cottone, Osnaburgs, &c., also purchased in Richmond. These Goods will be sold as low as the same kind and quality can be bought in the

Our entire supply of SPRING GOODS will be n hand by Monday. We hope our customers, and the public gene raily, will give us an early call. WITMER & CO mli 23

Marlboro Gaz., Pert Tob. Times, Warr. Flag. Cul. Observer, Orange Chronicle, Fairfax News, · LIVERPOOL SALT. 1500 SACKS G. A. SALT 1500 sacks Ashton's Salt, factory filled

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THE STATE CONVENTION. Mr. Wilson submitted the following resolution, which on his motion was laid on the

table and ordered to be printed. Resolved. That the Committee on Fedfrom Wisconsin, the Hon. T. O. Howe, rose eral Relations be instructed to inquire into hawks, or something similar, had been found, appointing William Hickey Secretary of the and made his debut. This gentleman suc- the expediency of providing for the Barder within the last two or three days, buried State Conference as recommended by the report of the majority of that Committee, and From the Core Exchange, among the heavy a conference, with the authorities of the Confederated States as recommended by one Smithy, around the forge of which worked new Senator claim for him the possession of of the minority reports; and a commission the honest striker, on the suburbs of the city, high talents, and moderate Republican sen- to each of the non-slaveholding States to in- nothing was thought or spoken of except vite the authorities thereof to initiate such the murderous John Brown pikes. Secesproceedings as will be acceptable to the sion ruled high, and the Union men, though to public expectation, and his views rather slaveholding States now in the Union and of firm in their conviction of truth and duty,

strongly, but his oratory is not captivating. Still his admirers are confident that in due ceedings of the citizens of Spotsylvania, of Northern aggression. A friend brought Mr. Powell called up a resolution authoriz- time he will become a distingue of the body. which, on his motion was read and referred one of the remarkably strange looking in-Among the confirmations by the Senate to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Mr. Boyd, of Batetourt, presented a substi-Collectorship of Key West, Florida. Flori- tute, for the first section of the amendments were made of us concerning the truth of the da, the "land of flowers," as all know has to the Constitution reported by the Commitseceded from the Union, and has connected tee on Foderal Relations, which, on his moherself with the new government of the Con- tion, was ordered to be printed and referred possession of a store keeper in Washing-

can opportunely sing Drake's much admired | "involuntary servitude or slavery of the Af- and from Mr. J. P. Bartholow, a. large song written many years ago, entitled "Fair rican race" as existing south of 36 deg. 30 dealer in Agricultural Implements, whose for the use of their embassy. Florida, good bye to thee." But alshough min, "any law to the contrary notwithstand- warehouse is on Seventh street, just south Plorida is off, our Government, insists upon ing ." and to provide that "said relation" of Pennsylvania Avenue, obtained the fol- said, to elect a new corps of officers. Its collecting the revenue in one of her ports be protected by all the departments of the lowing interesting particulars:

The resolutions submitted on Saturday last of his office. The Governor of that State I by Mr. Willey were taken up and the motion esq., brought a lot of the infernal machines know well. He is an intrepid—a daring to lay them upon the table, was withdrawn. man, at times recklessly so. Gov. John Milton Mr. Slaughter appealed to the friends of

is an Island in the Ocean, about seven miles Mr. Brown read a resolution providing for long and averaging about two miles wide. a committee to consider proposed amend-It is situated about sixty miles from the ments to the State Constitution, and report casionally indulged in Governmental con- King and Bradford R. Wood, and Elisha O. and about sixty miles from the ments to the State Constitution, and to be lead. tracts; that he (Bartholow) kept them for sale Cosby as Ministers Resident, respectively to Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor's dower land, and is the

resumed his argument in favor of secession | bought, and that Mr. Bailey had said on found to be covered with human bones. It of Virginia. In the course of his remarks he this last occasion, that he had a large lot is sincerely to be hoped that the authorities | said that the only question before the Con- left, which he would like to sell at the same of Florida may not get into deadly conflict vention is "Where shall Virginia go? With price: that he (Bartholow) had laughingly with Mr. Hare and the Government forces | which of these Confederacies-the Northern | remarked, some time since, in showing the or the Southern-will you lirk your destiny? hatchets to some friends, that they were fraternal blood may never be shed, and the If Virginia remains with the North, uncer- John Brown pikes. bones of American citizens scattered there tainty of the security of the slave property. must result in the emigration of large numbers of her citizens with their slave labor -

the maintenance of the rights and honor of his friends, Virginia, at all hazards, which was loudly

applauded. The Chairman (Mr. Southall) directed the Sargeant-at-Arms to clear the gallery and lobby, but being appealed to by several Virginia Convention. Barnum's beat! Sold, members, withdrew the order.

Mr. Baldwin, of Augusta, then took the floor, and proceeded to address the Convensed by any act of the Federal Government .- remarkably low; so low that the steamer Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette. juriously affected so far as the Federal Gov. the road. The Southern mail steamer Galveston, was abandoned at sea February

for her own sons, in this council represent- trip to the lower Potomac. ing the severeignty of the State to point the finger of scorn at her. Virginia is "not descorn, contempt, and defiance.

tleman (Mr. II.) to say that Virginia had formation of a battalion of Infantry-condegraded herself. Mr. Holcombe replied that he had said she

would degrade herself if she submits. Mr. Baldwin said that the gentleman had the right to construct his own language. Mr. Holcombe reiterated his previous remark, and said that he adhered to it in all its

Mr. Baldwin remarked that the gentleded. Her past history has been, indeed a handsomest military coats we ever saw .-

Mr. Carlile, who submitted as a substitute adopt finally the plan proposed in the Rich- proposition embodying the plan of adjustment say that Mr. Bernard C. Crock, the newly ed an advance of \$ for Uplands, and 1-10 have had many years experience in the managemond Whig, in reference to a Border Con- adopted by the Peace Conference, and a se- appointed Mail Agent on the Orange and

sonable time for that action. If the terms that all the excitement in the country has the idea of strewing the country with incenare accepted, all will be in a fair train for been occasion by disappointed politicians and diary documents, and running off negroes reconstruction: if rejected, the Border Slave place seekers, who, finding themselves exclusion mail bags, are as remote from, and as re-States may secole together, along, probably ded from office and power, under existing pugnant to Mr. Crook's mind, as they are to 6d, with no buyers; Extra State 28s@ 28s 6d. with several Conservative Free States-and | circumstances, are willing to gratify their | any Virginian. will compel peace, and a fair and just divi- own ambition without regard to the interests of the public.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

SELL OF THE SEASON !- BEST THING OUT !! -Considerable excitement prevailed in town vesterday, owing to the ramor, which circulated extensively, that three hundred tomasomewhere in Fairfax or Alexandria county. still felt that they had been woefully aggrieved Mr. Marye presented a report of the pro- by this palpable manifestation of the spirit struments to the Gazette Office, where all who choose can see it. So many inquiries fearful reports in circulation-one of which was that one of the tomahawks was in the ton-that a member of the Reportorial corps The said substitute proposes to recognize of the Gazette proceeded to Washington, About one year ago, Mr. Harvie Bailey,

of Fairfax County, a son of Lewis Bailey, to his (Mr. Bartholow's) store, for which he (Bailey) received ten cents apiece; that the confirmations by the Senate, yesterday, the widow of William Jenks, of Alexandra | the Hon, Auson Burlingame, of Massachu-County-said Jenks, when living, having oc- setts, as Minister to Austria. Also Rufus After a few remarks by Mr. Willey the winter, disposed of them at twenty-five cents H. Morse was confirmed as Consul to Lon-

Concerning the instruments Mr. Bartholow Will not lands be depreciated? Will not the Alexandria. So great, indeed, that he had and bankruptcy be general throughout the man of this city, before Mr. Wm. B. Richards, ir., also of this city, had purchased not He concluded with an appeal in favor of only all he had, but all he could procure from

Mr. Richards has, we are glad to learn, sold all his murderous instruments at remunerative prices, some of them, we learn upon authority, to be sent to the members of the by Janus

Low Tipe .-- Owing to high winds from tion in an argument designed to show that the North that have prevailed for the last the people of Virginia had never been opprest two or three days, the tide yesterday was He did not want to hear jeremiads about the George Page was unable to make her reguoppression of Virginia, but specifications for trips until after 1 o'elock, P. M. The pointing out, when, where, and by whom the Northern mail which she should have interests of the people of this State were in- brought down at 7 o'clock, came down over Philadelphia was delayed, it is supposed, at | We have heard a great deal, of late about | Aquia Creek, and did not arrive here until the "degradation of Virginia." Who had several hours after her time. The steamer dared to make the imputation, that Virgin- James Guy was aground at her wharf in season. ia has been degraded? It has been reserved Washington, and did not make her regular

MILITARY AFFAIRS. - We understand that graded." he would fling back the imputation | Col. Smart has received a letter from the as one of the humblest of her sons, with Adjutant General of the State, informing him that the lawful organization of a batta-Mr. If decembe inquired if the gentleman lion presupposes the actual existence of four any thing more would be done, than to at referred to him, as one of those who made Infantry or Rifle Companies, and that Ar- tion. tillery being a separate and distinct arm of Mr. Baldwin said he understood the gen- the service, cannot be considered in the sequently the battalion lately informally organized in this city is dissolved.

Lieucenant A. J. Humphreys, Adjutant of the 175th Regiment of Virginia Militia, has resigned.

New Uniforms.-We were shown vesterday by Mr. Wm. B. Richards a specimen coat of the uniform he is now manufacturmen had a right to argue what would take ing for the Alexandria Artillery. It is who declared that Virginia was now degra- son cloth and gold braid, and is one of the the present to crown her with immortal honor. tillery will immediately uniform. Mr. She holds in her hands the destinies of this Richards enjoys peculiar facilities for getfor a motion to rise, which was submitted al companies of our section of the State and

THE NEW MAIL AGENT .- In simple jusfor the pending report of the committee, a tice to an honest fellow townsman, we would Alexandria Railroad, is neither an abolition- ally closed with an advancing tendency. Mr. Carlile addressed the Convention in listar black republican, as is stated in the support of his proposition, taking the ground | Lynchburg Republican of Thursday. And

Bold Thert .- A white man, genteely At the conclusion of Mr. Carlile's remarks dressed, passing down Fairfax street, yesterthe committee rose and the Convention ad- day afternoon, about 5 o'clock, deliberately stole from the bench in front of Mrs. Jane Green's store, a piece of calico, which he put under his coat and walked off with, unconcernedly. The theft was seen by two little boys, who ran after the man, whom they

erate price. Orders left with Doctor Klipstein, or | Guards will, on Monday next, at ha f past | dents. Speeches were made by Hon, M. J. ten o'clock, in front of the Lyceum Hall, rethe ladies of Alexandria, have purchased for | burg. them. Dr. Harold Snowden has been selected by the ladies to make the presentation. | people, and the meeting was wild with ex-The Guards on the occasion will have a dress | citement. All the districts of the State, it

ceived at the Post Office in this city last night, were several which had been partially 1,000 delegates were present. burned by the late fire on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Ammenition for the South.-Large supplies of ammunition for the Southern Confederaty passed through this city on Thursday and Wendesday last, per Adams Express

Mail. Agency.-The report that Mr. Thos. | Lieut. Governor Clark was to immediate-Pritchartt had been removed from his posi- ly assume the Governor's functions, and the tion as Mail Agent on the Manassas Gap Railroad, is incorrect.

GOOD OPENING .- The subscribers, desir-F. A. REED & CO., No 6. South Wharves. A GOOD OPENING.—The subscribers, desir-and wind up their business, will sell out upon such SAPLING CLOVERSEED.—Just received 50 bush. Prime Sapling Cloverseed, new crop, for sale by needed in a Village Store, having sold their objectionable Goods at Austion. There are very few Goods in Upperville, and any one keeping a fair stock would sell them rea-

dily into good hands.

HALL, HARPER & CO. Upperville, Va., teh ly-2awtf VINEGAR.-100 bbls. Cider VINEGAR, for sale at Northern prices to the trade.
mh 14 J. N. HARPER & CO.

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH. VIRGINIA CONVENTION.

RICHMOND, March 22 .- Mr. Baldwin continued his speech of yesterday, and spoke three hours. He considered the Peace Conference propositions as an acceptable basis of adjustment, but thought that the majori- site, where the keys will be found. Terms cash. ty report of the Committee better in some respects. The proceedings of the Convention were unimportant.

FROM WASHINGTON.

THE CAZETTE'S SPECIAL DISPATCH. Washington, March 22,-Mr. E. M. Merchant of Virginia has been removed from a \$1,600 elerkship in the 6th Auditor's office. Some twenty clerks in the Census Bureau

were dismissed to-day. The Commissioners from the Confederate States are about to rent a private residence

The Senate will proceed to-morrow, it is

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, March 22 .- Among the infernal machines were rejected and con- were the following:-The Hon. Thomas demned Government hatchets, belonging to Corwin, of Ohio, as Minister to Mexico, and River, I mile from Aldie, adjoining the lands of

liam Gilpin as Governor of the new territory of Colorado, Benjamin F. Hall as Chief Justice and Charles Lee Armour as one of the associate justices of the territory.

Mr. Joshua R. Giddings has been nominated as Consul General for the British Pro-

vinces. The President has submitted to the Senate knew nothing further except that there was the proposition of the British Government to stalments; the title to be withheld until the pura great demand for them, by persons from submit the San Juan question to the arbitration of Sweden, the Netherlands, or Switzersources of the public revenue be diminished, only time to sell eight to one young gentle- land. The Committee on Foreign Relations.

it is said, has recommended Switzerland. So far as can be ascertained, there is no determination as to the calling of an extra

LATER FROM EUROPE. ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER ARAGO.

New York, March 22d .- The steamer Arago from Southampton on the 6th inst., has Jueenstown on the 5th.

The steamer Europa had sailed for Queensown to take the Austrailasian's cargo to New

The ship Conquest, from Mobile for Liverpeel, is ashere in Carnaryon Bay, and will probably be a total wreck. The ship Ocean Guide, from Newport for

14th. The crew were saved. It was rumored that the serf emancipation in Russia would be settled during the Lent

Nassau was tranquil. The Minister of Holland had resigned. Austria requests Denmark to delay her budget before the Holstein Chambers. England, France and Prussia also demand time of Denmark

Count Cayour had brought under notice the necessity of settling the Dassian ques-

The demand for discounts in London had increased. Consols closed at 913 (a 913 for m ney, and 924(@92% for account.

The London Times says the now tariff bill of the United States establishes protective duties on the most extravagant scale, ton city. The tract contains about 600 ACRES, which will result in absolute prohibition .-Imports from Europe are more detrimental to the interests of America than Europe.

Mr. Brissy made an attack on the English alliance in the French Senate, but it was received with dissatisfactiom.

The London Times says that the new American tariff establishes protection upon a most extraordinary scale and the result will be an almost absolute prohibition from Europe, which will be more detrimental of American than European interests.

Austria has sanctioned the re-establishment of the electoral law in Crotia. The bombardment of Cintella and Tronto, commenced on the 20th. COMMERCIAL .- LIVERPOOL, March 6th .-

Cotton-Sales on Monday and Tuesday of 17,000 bales: The steamer's news had causfor the other qualities. The market gener-Manchester advices are favorable. Breadstuffs are quiet, Flour closed with

a declining tendency, and all qualities have slightly declined. Richardson, Spence & Co. quote: Flour dull and offered at a decline of Wheat is quiet and prices steady. Red Western 11s(a 12s 10d; white 13s(a 14s 6d. Corn is quiet. Mixed 37s; yellow 38s;

Provisions are quiet. Beef is dull. Park dull. Bacon quiet. Lard dull at 5 s 4d(a.56s,

Secession in North Carolina.

Goldsburguen, N. C., March 22,-A very large and enthusiastic meeting of Southern overtook, and upon demanding the calico, Rights citizens, was held here to-day. The the best musical references as to the success of his were given it without hesitation. The man meeting was held at the Court House, on which the Southern flag was hoisted. Hon. Welden N. Edwards, of Warren, was cho-FLAG PRESENTATION.-The Mount Vernon | sen Chairman, assisted by six Vice Presi-Moses, of South Carolina, Edmund Ruffin, ceive the beautiful flag, which a portion of of Virginia, and Gen. Young, of Mecklen-

There was a general outpouring of the was reported, would be represented to-night. At five, the meeting adjourned to meet again BURNT LETTERS .- Among the letters re- at 7 o'clock. No compromise was wanted, but all were for immediate secession. About

Later from Texas.

New ORLEANS, March 22 .- Advices from Austin state that the Texas Convention passed an ordinance declaring vacant the Governor's Chair, and also of the Secretary of the State, on account of their refusal to appear before the Convention to take the oath of the Confederate States.

Secretary of State directed to hand over the seal of office and the official records. The Legislature met on the 18th. It was not known what Gov. Houston would do.

Army and Navy of the Confederate States. Augusta, March 22 .- The Montgomery list of the officers of the army and navy of the Confederate States. They were nearly a'l formerly of the Federal service.

CLEVELAND, March 21 .- A resolution requesting Congress to call a National Conven- years, and has commanded during this time the tion has passed both Houses of the Ohio Leg- of March. islature.

National Convention.

AUCTION SALES.

BY J. T. CREIGHTON-AUCTIONEER. SALE THIS DAY. WILL OFFER FOR SALE the substantial and well built HOUSE AND LOT, situated on the north-west corner of Queen and St. Asaph streets, adjoining Miss Tebbs' boarding school.

This property I have at considerable expenso converted into a dwelling, with hall, large parlor, dining room, and library on first floor, ave good chambers and a large dry basement. The above property will be sold on Thursday, the 21st, at the market house, at 11 o'clock. Any one wishing to examine the property, can do so

JOHN G. PEACH. inh 14-dts The above sale is postponed to Saturday, 23d instant, in front of the Mayor's Office, at the

same hour. Terms made known at sale. mh 19-dtd SALE THIS DAY A DMINISTRATOR'S SALE .- On Saturday, March 23d, at 12 o'clock, M., on the premises, at the corner of Queen and Royal streets, there will be offered at public sale a LEASEHOLD,

together with a valuable lot of SMITHING TOOLS and other property. D. L. SMOOT, mb 12-eots Administrator of Peter Davis. COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE LOUDOUN LAND .- Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Loudoun, made on the 22d day of October, 1860, in the case of Alexander Lucey, Administrator of M. H. Lucey, dec'd,. vs. Lafayette W. Swart and Burr Swart, the unadjournment will not take place for some dersigned, Commissioners, will offer at public auction, at the front door of the Court House, in Leesburg, Loudoun county, Virginia, on Mondoy. the 22nd day of April, 1861, about 12 o'clock, Jr., that being the first day of the Circuit Court, the

following REAL ESTATE. 1st. A TRACT OF LAND, containing 140 ACRES, formorly owned by C. P. Swart, on Little John W. Fairfax, Sandford Guliek, and Mrs. Wm. Gulick.

2d. A TRACT OF LAND, containing 60 ACRES, adjoining the above, the lands of Zerega at his store, and had, during the fall and Rome, Denmark and Guatamala. Freeman land allotted to Barr Swart in the division of the real estate of his father, the late James Swart.

3d. The undivided interest of Burr Swart supposed to be TWO-TENTH of the reversion in the dower land (200 acres) of Mrs. Elizabeth Swart. Persons desiring further information in regard to the property, can obtain it by applying to either of the Commissioners.

TERMS .- Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale; the residue to be divided into three equal instalments, interest from the day of sale, payable one on the confirmation of the sale, one in one year, and the other in two years from the day of sale,-the purchaser to execute his bonds for the deferred in-

chase money is all paid. MATTHEW HARRISON, HENRY HEATON, Comm'rs JOHN M. ORR, B. P. NOLAND, W. B. NOLAND, Auctioneer

Loudoun co., mb 21-eots AND FOR SALE .- Benjamin F. Fairfax and d others vs. John A. Fairfax and others. In pursuance of a decree rendered in the above cause, by the County Court of Fairfax, at its February term, 1861, the undersigned Commissioners will offer at public sale at Fairfax C. H., on Monday, the 15th of April, 1861, (Court-day) the following arrived. The City of Baltimore arrived at TRACT OF LAND, late the proporty of John B. Queenstown on the 5th. Fairfax: A LOT, containing 81 3-4 ACRES, one moiety of which belongs to James M. Fairfax, but

it is to be sold entire. This lot binds upon Wolf Run, and is situate about S miles South of Fairfax C. H., and adjoins

the lands of Francis C. Davis, M. Woodyard, and others, in an improving neighborhood. TERMS OF SALE .- One-tenth in hand, the balance in three equal instalments at six, tw eighteen months from the day of sale, the deferred payments to bear interest, to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, and deed of trust upon the premises, and the preperty to be resold at the risk of the purchaser upon failure to comply with the

WM. H. DULANY, | Cmm're. H. W. THOMAS. Fairfax county, Va., mh 15-2awts OSSIAN HALL POR SALE.—By virtue of a deed of trust executed by Francis A. Dickins and Margaret H. Dickins, to the undersigned, dated 27th of October, 1857, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of Fairfax county, I shall, on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1861, (Court day,) sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, before the front of Fairfax Court House, tor cash, the tract of land described in said deed, known as OS-SIAN HALL farm (the present residence of F. A. Dickins,) situated in the county of Fairfax, about one mile from Anandale Post Office, on the Little River Turnpike Road, two from Springfield Station, on the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, 8 from Alexandria, and 12 from Washingof which 150 are in the original timber. The im-

provements consist in part of a commodious DWELLING. Overseer's House, Quarters, large Barn, and other necessary out-buildings, and large ORCHARDS of fine fruit. JAMES THRIFT, Trustee. Fairfax C. H., Va., mh 14-eots

BOARDING SCHOOL FOR GIRLS. FREDERICKSBURG, VA., BY WILLIAM B. JOHNSON. firms INSTITUTION will be opened for boarders on the 1st of February next, (18d1.) The number of boarders is limited to twenty. TERMS PER SESSION OF PIVE MONTUS.

Ornamental work at the usual rates, and no extras. The Principal and his wife, both Virginians, the South. For further information, address at Fredericks-

Music, Instrumental and Vocal, (each) 25

Board, including fuel, light and washing 100

WM. B. JOHNSON. burg, Va., REFERENCES. Douglas Gordon, esq., Fredericksburg. A. K. Phillips, Samuel G. Daniel, " Judge J. T. Lomax and John Coakley, of Fred-

William H. McFarland. esq., Richmond.

Joseph R. Anderson, J. Adams Smith, Geo. and Wm. Gwathmey Andrew Johnston, J. Randolph Tucker, Peter V. Daniel, John B. Young, Lyttleton Wickham, Rev. Geo. Woodbridge, Judge Wm Robertson, Charlottesville.

Judge L. P. Thompson, Staunton. A II. II. Stuart, esq., Hugh Sheffey, N. P. Catlett. Col John B. Baldwin, Rev. R. H. Phillips, Virginia Female Institute,

Prof. S. Maupin, University of Virginia,

Col. F. Smith, Virginia Military Institute. Lex-Major Thomas H. Williamson, Virginia Mill tary Institute, Lexington. John Chapman, esq., Orange C. H. John Willis, Peyton Grymes, "

B. Johnson Barbour, esq., Barboursville. James Ranson, Charlestown. " Old Church, Hanover H. B. Tomlin. Gen. John H. Cocke, Fluvanna County. Dr. C. C. Cocke. J. R. Bryan, esq., Hickory Fork, Gloucester. Wood Bouldin, esq., Charlotte C. H. Pike Powers. "Mt. Laurel, Halifax. Pike Powers, "Mt. Laurel, Halifax. Dr. Thomas Pretlow, Jerusalem, Southampton.

Dr. Alex. Thom. Eastville, Northampton. Asher W. Gray, esq., Alexandria. Hon. R. M. T. Hunter, Washington. Alfred Chapman, esq., Dr. Peter H. Heiskell, Dr. Solon Borland, Memphis, Tennessee. Judge E. H. English, Little Rock, Arkausas.

Albert Pike, esq., " " Col. John Baker Thompson, Little Rock, Ark.

James Temple Doswell, esq., New Orleans.

Alex. Walker, esq., (of the Delta,) New Orleans. Fredericksburg, Va., jan 19-ac2m FOR RENT.—The spacious S T O R E HOUSE, on King street, occupied by Wis-FOR RENT .- The spacious STORE mer & Bros. during the past eight years. This house fronts on King street 25 feet, extending Advertiser of Thursday publishes a corrected back 75 feet, widens to 32 feet, which width it maintains to its extreme length, 111 feet. There is a basement under the entire building, well lighted and arranged for business. The second story contains a Carpet Room 25 by 40 feet .-There are several sky lights looking into the main store. The above house was built for, and has been occupied as a Dry Goods Store for sixteen

largest trade in this city. Possession given 21st C. M. TAYLOR, mb 5-dil2Mdeotf